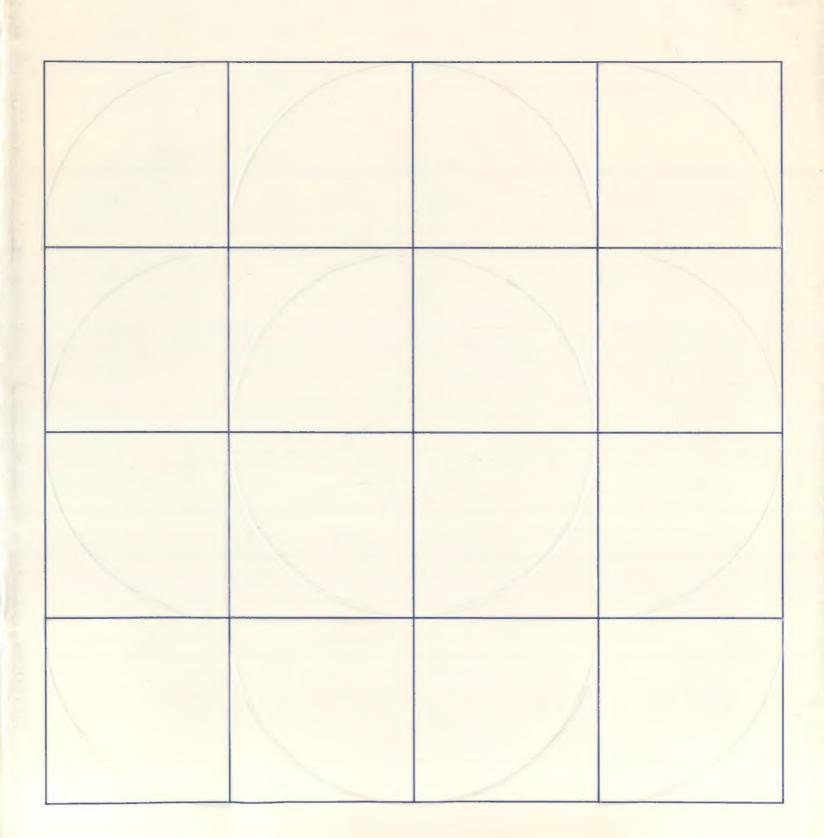
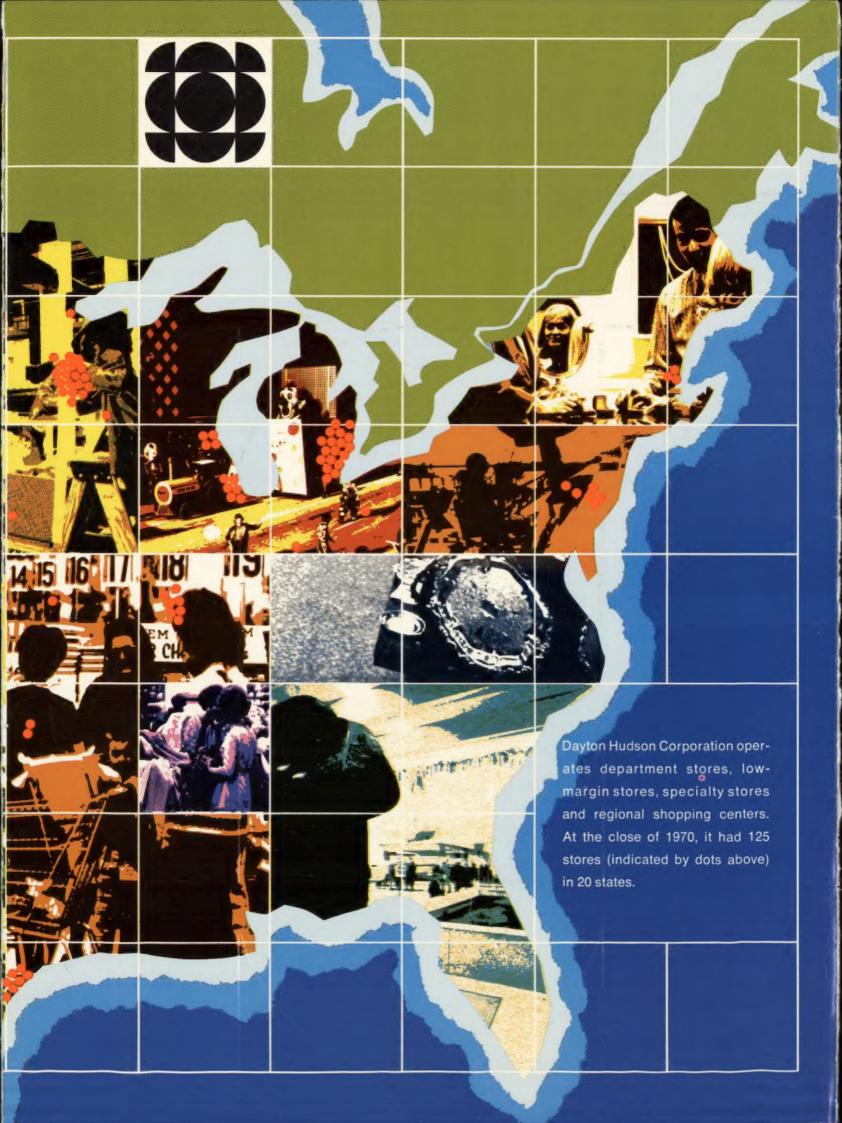
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## Financial Highlights

	1970	·1969	Increase (Decrease)
		-	
Total Revenues	\$969,287,000	\$888,357,000	9.1%
Income Before Income Taxes	37,570,000	48,073,000	(21.8)
Net Income	18,970,000	23,673,000	(19.9)
Earnings Per Common Share	1.16	1.49	(22.1)
Shareholders' Investment	289,560,000	269,703,000	7.4
Working Capital	159,186,000	148,814,000	7.0
Capital Expenditures	56,794,000	92,765,000	(38.8)
Total Square Feet of Retail Space	12,585,000	10,706,000	17.6
Average Common Shares Outstanding	16,020,000	15,814,000	1.3
Number of Shareholders	9,428	9,473	(.5)

## To Our Shareholders

As a growth company, we consider our 1970 earnings to be most unsatisfactory.

Revenues totaled a record \$969,287,000, up 9.1 percent from \$888,357,000 in 1969, but much of this increase was contributed by new stores.

Net income for 1970 was \$18,970,000, compared with \$23,673,000 in 1969. Earnings per share were \$1.16, compared with \$1.49 a year earlier.

These results reflect a prolonged buying hesitancy on the part of consumers troubled by economic conditions and continued uncertainty over national priorities. Rising prices, rising unemployment, Vietnam, environmental problems, social unrest—all contributed to a mood of uneasiness and a slower pace of consumer buying.

The intensity of inflation in 1970 was illustrated by

a 5.3-percent increase in the consumer price index. Yet the average increase in our prices was 2.8 percent, indicating that our type of general merchandise was not a major contributor to the problem.

Despite the low level of consumer spending generally, the two fastest-growing segments of the Corporation achieved earnings increases.

Led by Target, the low-margin stores group had a 24-percent increase in sales and an 11-percent increase in pretax income. Dayton Hudson Booksellers also reported a substantial profit improvement.

The Corporation continued its aggressive expansion program by opening 17 stores with a total of 1.8 million square feet of retail space — an increase of 17 percent. We also added 830,000 square feet of commercial space leased to others, an increase of 25 percent. Capital expenditures totaled \$57 million.

We reached our goal of a national base for our jewelry strategy by combining with two more leading fine-jewelry companies in 1970. Our acquisition of Team Central not only took us into new markets geographically, it introduced us to franchising and gave us additional expertise in the high-potential field of consumer electronics. The year was climaxed with an agreement to acquire the John A. Brown Company of Oklahoma City, the leading department store in that market.

While we see potential for increased consumer spending in 1971, we're not counting on it.

Consumers' ability to spend has been growing, but their willingness to do so hasn't. They are caught between inflation and the fight to control it, and we see little to indicate an early or abrupt change in consumer attitude.

Any spending resurgence that does occur can be expected to emerge in new patterns. Our challenge will be to identify these shifts. We believe that Dayton Hudson's diversified approach to retailing has uniquely equipped us to serve evolving consumer needs.

Bruce B. Dayton

Chairman of the Board

K. N. Dayton

Joseph L. Hudson, Jr.

Vice Chairman of the Board

April 16, 1971

Joseph L. Hudson, Jr. Bruce B. Dayton K. N. Dayton



## **Operating Review**

## INTRODUCTION: A partnership in growth

When the Corporation made its first public stock offering in late 1967, it had 23 stores in five states. At the close of 1970 — just a little more than three years later — it had 125 stores in 20 states, along with 58 franchised outlets.

More than half of this growth was in the form of new stores opened by the Corporation.

In 1967, the Corporation had already launched discount and specialty strategies. It opened two discount stores and eight specialty stores that year.

In 1968, an accelerated building program began to push capital spending upward. The Corporation opened 14 stores.

In 1969, the major event was the merger with The J. L. Hudson Company of Detroit. Capital expenditures rose to \$92.8 million. The Corporation opened 21 stores.

Then came 1970. And once again the review of operations is dominated by the evidence of expansion — new stores, new companies, new markets. Every operating group contributed to the Corporation's increasing geographic scope.



Special events help department stores maintain aura of excitement, attract crowds — Hudson's 4th of July fireworks over downtown Detroit . . .



## RETAILING: A partnership of strategies

The key to Dayton Hudson's geographic expansion is the diversity of its approaches to the consumer. The combination of department stores, low-margin stores and specialty stores gives the Corporation more options in responding to changes in consumer needs and buying patterns. At the same time, it permits greater selectivity in choosing the best routes for expansion into new markets.

Target has more than doubled its markets in less than two years, extending its geographic span from Northern Minnesota to Southern Texas. It entered its fifth, sixth and seventh markets in 1969 with discount stores in Dallas, Houston and Colorado Springs. It entered its eighth and ninth — Tulsa and Milwaukee — in 1970.



... Santa's Toy Workshop, with 175 animated elves making Christmas toys in Dayton's auditorium . . .

. Hudson's nationally televised Thanksgiving Day parade.





John A. Brown Co., with three stores in Oklahoma City, joined the Corporation in February 1971.



Target opened a total of seven 160,000-square-foot stores in 1970 — two each in Milwaukee and Houston, one each in Tulsa, St. Louis and Dallas.

Lechmere opened its third low-margin hardgoods store in the Boston area in 1970 and is continuing its expansion program in New England with construction of a store in Springfield, Massachusetts, to open later this year.

In the department stores group, Hudson's opened its first store in Flint, Michigan, and it opened its sixth full-line suburban store in Detroit. This year it will continue its expansion by opening a store in Toledo, Ohio.

The department stores group added three new high-potential markets in the Southwest: Las Vegas, Tulsa and Oklahoma City. Through Diamond's, the Corporation took over the operation of a small department store in Las Vegas early in 1970, and it soon will open a 72,000-square-foot store in a major Tulsa shopping center.

The Corporation purchased the John A. Brown Company, which operates three department stores in Oklahoma City and a small store in Norman, Oklahoma. The 56-year-old company had sales of \$23,027,000 for the year ended January 31, 1971. It adds 481,000 square feet of retail space and provides a strong base for the development of a high-quality, fashion-oriented department store in Oklahoma.

















Lechmere's new store at Danvers, Massachusetts, is third for the New England hardgoods retailer. Fourth store is planned for 1971.



Dayton Hudson Booksellers, which already was in more markets than any other segment of the Corporation, opened stores in two additional markets in 1970 — Fresno and Oxnard, California. It also added stores in Riverside, California, Houston and Milwaukee.

Dayton Hudson Jewelers also entered two new markets, through J. E. Caldwell in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, and J. B. Hudson in Omaha, Nebraska.

The specialty stores group gained three new partners in 1970, entering several new markets as a result.

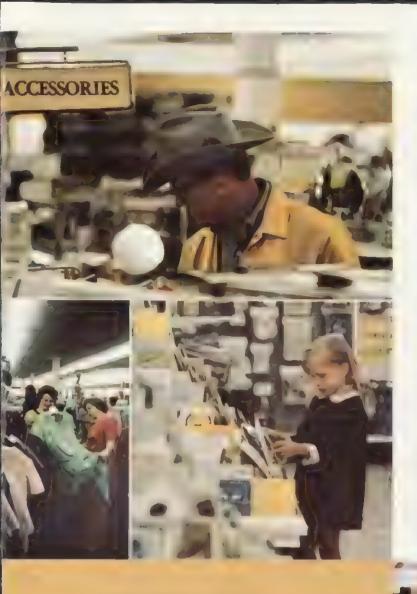
Joining Dayton Hudson Jewelers were J. Jessop and Sons of San Diego, the largest fine jeweler in Southern California, and C. D. Peacock, Inc., the leading fine jeweler and oldest company in Chicago.











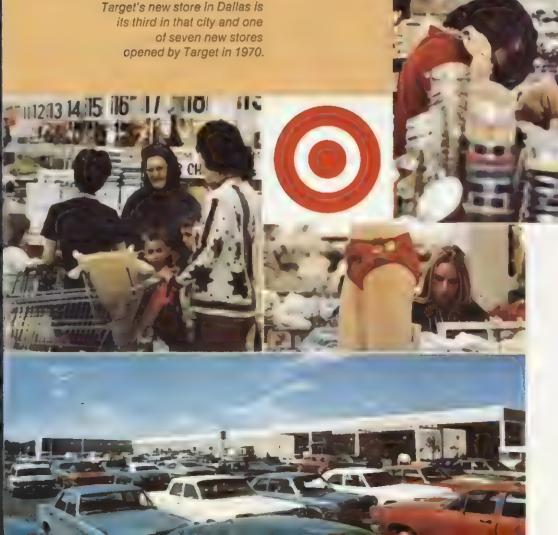
Jessop's was founded in England in 1860, moving to San Diego in 1893. It now operates seven stores in that market. Peacock, founded in 1837, operates its main store in Chicago's Palmer House Hotel and has five branches in the Chicago area.

The addition of these companies gives the Corporation a total of 31 jewelry stores in 10 markets in eight states.

Forming a new segment of the specialty stores group was Team Central, a Minneapolis-based franchisor of independent retail stores specializing in consumer electronics products.

Team Central had 50 franchised Team Electronic Centers in 14 states when it joined the Corporation at mid-year. It added eight more stores before the end of the year and six more so far in 1971.

Stores opened or scheduled to open in 1971 will increase retail space by 750,000 square feet. In addition to those

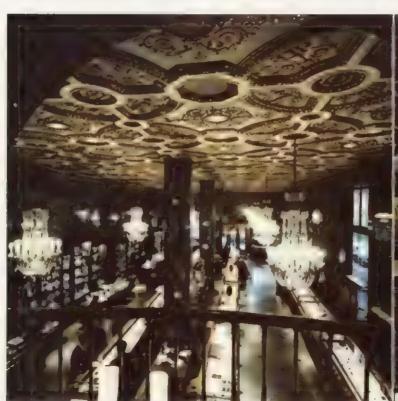


already mentioned, the Corporation will open:

- Three Target stores (the seventh in the Twin Cities area, the fifth in St. Louis and the fourth in Dallas).
- Thirteen bookstores (in Louisville, Kentucky; Waukegan and Schaumburg, Illinois; Toledo, Ohio; Atlanta, Georgia; Austin and Dallas, Texas; San Jose, Lakewood, Torrance and Los Angeles, California, and two in Orange, California).
- Four jewelry stores (Shreve's in San Jose and Walnut Creek, California, Peacock in Schaumburg, Illinois, and Warren in Toledo).

Target's new stores will introduce a 133,000-square-foot prototype designed to give the company greater flexibility in market and site selection in a period of intensifying competition for prime retail locations. The new prototype requires six acres less space and can be built at relatively lower cost than those built in 1970.

With the addition of its franchised outlets, Dayton Hudson's family of operating companies is now represented in more than half of the 50 states. This growth in geographic scope



C. D. Peacock, Inc., with six Chicago-area stores, joined Dayton Hudson Jewelers in 1970.



San Diego-based J. Jessop and Sons, largest fine jeweler in Southern California, operates seven stores and is another new member of Dayton Hudson Jewelers.



has been accompanied by increasing organizational maturity and efficiency.

And despite their diversity and the distance between them, Dayton Hudson's retail companies are linked by a strong merchandising philosophy. Its prime ingredients include:

- Commitment to growth and profitability.
- Commitment to dominance, quality and fashion.
- Commitment to serving people.





## REAL ESTATE: A partnership in development

The Corporation's real estate operations, originally service arms of Hudson's and Dayton's department stores, have evolved into a strong retail-oriented development strategy.

In 1970, these operations were integrated to form Dayton Hudson Properties, a pooling of expertise well-suited to develop the Corporation's large real estate investment effectively.

The formula has been to buy raw land, develop a major regional shopping center and use the center as a focus for a broad range of real estate projects, such as office and apartment buildings.

Through Dayton Hudson Properties, the Corporation now owns and manages eight regional shopping centers aggregating 6,780,000 square feet. Two of these were opened during 1970 — Genesee Valley Center in Flint, Michigan, and Southland Center in suburban Detroit. The Corporation also generates income from its development of peripheral properties.

Totally, Dayton Hudson Properties owns and operates 8.1 million square feet of commercial space. Of this, 4.2 is leased to other tenants. The Corporation also owns 2,072 acres of land for future development.

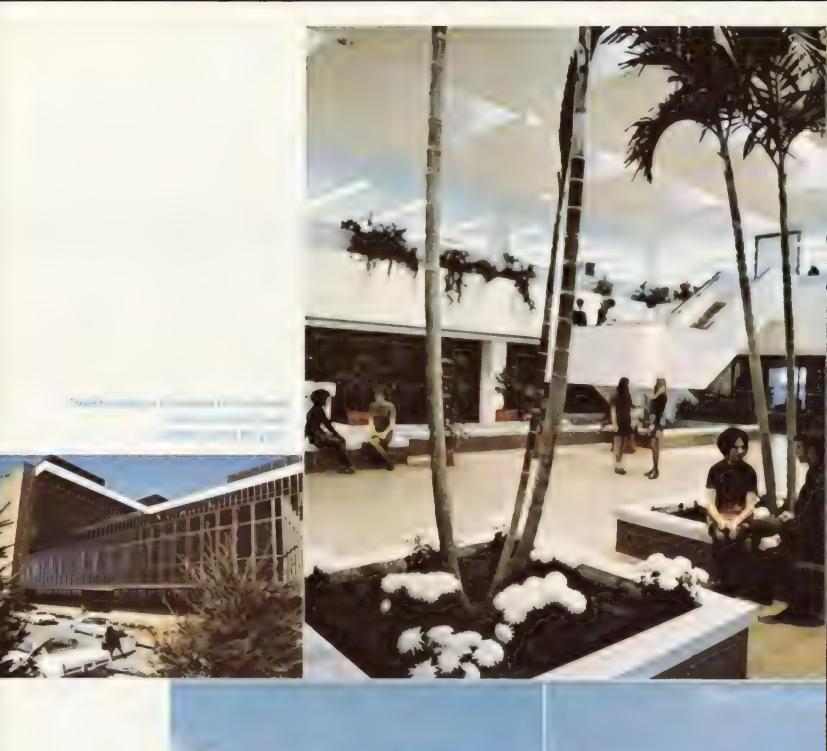
In addition to retail facilities completed in 1970, the company opened its second 64-unit garden apartment complex near Eastland Center in Detroit and the 140,000-square-foot Southdale Office Centre #3 in suburban Minneapolis.

Scheduled for 1971 are the completion of a 388,000-square-foot expansion of Southdale Shopping Center, including a J. C. Penney store, and the opening of two 136-unit high-rise apartment buildings being built on a joint venture basis near Detroit's Northland Center,



Genesee Valley Center in Flint, Michigan — opened in 1970 — is one of eight regional shopping centers owned and operated by Dayton Hudson Properties.

Team Central, Minneapolis-based franchisor of independent retail electronics stores, joined Dayton Hudson in 1970.





# CORPORATE CITIZENSHIP: A community partnership

"We recognize that our results are affected not only by the way in which we operate but also by the environments in which we operate — and we therefore concern ourselves with both . . . In our view, it is the function of business to serve society . . . If business does not help solve society's problems, society may not grant it the opportunity for profitable growth that business has enjoyed in the past." — Bruce B. Dayton in a speech to Detroit community leaders, October 7, 1970

Dayton Hudson Corporation believes that its own well-being is inseparable from the well-being of the communities in which it conducts its business. It therefore utilizes 5 percent of its taxable income for the improvement of these communities.

Beyond that, Dayton Hudson strives to multiply the impact of its programs and contributions by using its corporate leadership to enlist the support of public and private resources.

Dayton Hudson seeks to meet its social responsibilities in a way that fits its business and that most effectively accomplishes its objectives. Since its business is intimately a part of local trade areas, the direction of its financial support is primarily local. Expenditures by the Corporation and the Dayton Hudson Foundation totaled \$2,053,000 in 1970. The major portion of this was directed to local cultural institutions and programs designed to solve local social problems.

The choice to lend major support to cultural institutions is based on the conviction that there is a strong link between the social health of a community and the quality of these institutions. The humanizing influence of the arts is keenly needed in all of the urban environments that Dayton Hudson shares.

Because of the overriding importance of local social problems, Dayton Hudson has placed high priority on supporting the search for their solution. Of particular concern are the shortages of housing and youth opportunities, the need for minority-group businesses and job training, and the renewal of the inner city. Special emphasis is placed on the critical needs of the youth and the disadvantaged.

Southland Center in suburban Detroit opened in August.



## Financial Review

Dayton Hudson Corporation and Subsidiaries

## FINANCIAL PHILOSOPHY

Dayton Hudson Corporation believes that an aggressive expansion program must be balanced by a sound financial structure. An "A" rating on senior long-term debt — exemplifying that balance — is a major objective of the Corporation's financial strategy. Last summer's \$25 million debenture offering was so rated by both major rating agencies.

## **Financing Policy**

For long-term financing purposes, the Corporation views itself as having two activities with distinctly different characteristics.

Additional capital requirements for the retail expansion program are met primarily through long-term unsecured debentures sold to the public. For the retail operations, the eventual goal is an even

balance between the use of debt, including leases, and equity. This goal will be attained as permitted by satisfactory earnings coverage of fixed charges.

In addition to providing technical support to the retail companies, the real estate group develops projects leased to outside tenants. These projects are financed by mortgages, commitments for which are obtained prior to the start of construction. Because this debt is supported primarily by the credit of tenants and not by the Corporation, these operations can be more heavily leveraged without impairing the Corporation's credit. It is expected that the real estate group will continue to be heavily financed through debt and leases.

For short-term needs, the Corporation relies upon unsecured bank borrowings, and upon the sale of commercial paper supported by open bank lines. Thirteen

major banks provide the
Corporation with credit facilities
in excess of \$140 million. Of
this amount, \$40 million is in the
form of a revolving credit and
term loan agreement having a
final maturity date of
December 31, 1977. It is the
Corporation's policy to have
sufficient unused bank lines to
cover peak seasonal needs and
the unfunded portion of
committed capital expenditures.

## **Accounting Policies**

The Corporation follows conservative accounting policies, among them:

- Using the LIFO method of inventory valuation. In inflationary periods, LIFO more conservatively states income by recognizing that inventory must be replaced at today's prices.
- Depreciating fixed assets over the shortest asset lives

permitted by the Internal Revenue Service.

These accounting procedures have a depressive effect on current year reported earnings — although they cause no cash outflows. Because of the lower reported earnings, income taxes are minimized, thereby maximizing the cash retained for reinvestment in the business.

 Expensing start-up costs as incurred. These costs include interest and taxes during construction, as well as payroll prior to opening.

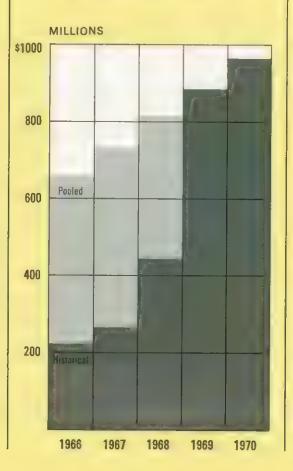
As the Corporation is committed to continuing growth, these expenses are considered a recurring part of its cost structure and thus should be recognized as incurred. Current recognition of these expenditures more conservatively states earnings and improves the Corporation's flexibility to cut expenses in slow years.

## Financial Review (continued)

### **TOTAL REVENUES**

The Corporation's total revenue growth in 1970 was 9.1 percent, somewhat less than the 10.0 percent annual growth rate of the past five years. This performance reflected the sluggish levels of economic activity and the related decline in consumer confidence, which according to national surveys, reached its lowest level in 14 years.

(000)	1970	1969	(Decrease)
Net Retail Sales	\$945,306	\$868,335	8.9%
Rental Income	20,092	15,250	31.8
Realized Gain From			
Real Estate Sales	3,889	4,772	(18.5)
Total Revenues	\$969,287	\$888,357	9.1

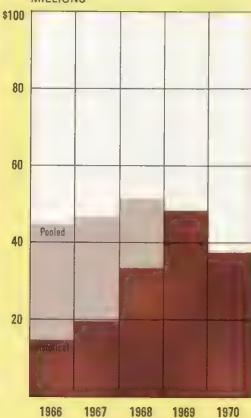


## INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES

Despite the increase in sales, pretax income slipped by 21.8 percent. This decline was caused primarily by the squeeze between increasing costs—including operating expenses of new stores opened during the latter half of 1969 and 1970—and the slower pace of consumer buying. Because of these factors, new stores were unable to reach their anticipated levels of sales and profit.

(000)	1970	1969	(Decrease)
Total Revenues	\$969,287	\$888,357	9.1%
Costs and Expenses	931,717	840,284	10.9
Income Before Income Taxes	\$ 37.570	\$ 48,073	(21.8)

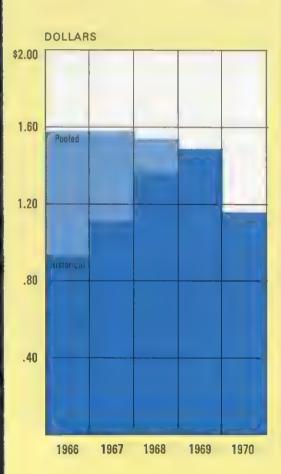




### **EARNINGS PER SHARE**

Earnings per common share were \$1.16 for 1970, a decrease of 22.1 percent from 1969's \$1.49. LIFO and start-up expenses totalled 27 cents per share for the year, as compared with 25 cents per share in 1969.

	1970	1969	Increase (Decrease)
Earnings Per Share	\$1.16	\$1.49	(22.1%)

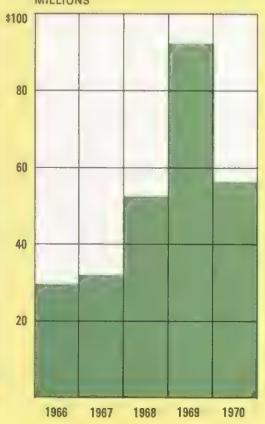


### CAPITAL EXPENDITURES

In 1970, the Corporation spent \$56.8 million on new plant and equipment, down from 1969's \$92.8 million. Capital expenditures during 1969 and 1970 increased the Corporation's retail space by 33 percent and its space leased to others by 55 percent. It is anticipated that 1971 expenditures will be \$55 million. This represents the continuation of the Corporation's planned high level of investment in future growth.

(000)	1970	1969	Increase (Decrease)
Retail	\$39,808	\$46,740	(14.8)
Real Estate	16,986	46,025	(63.1)
Total	\$56,794	\$92,765	(43.1%)

#### MILLIONS



## **Department Stores**

Markets served in 1970: Hudson's — Detroit, Flint, Michigan; Dayton's — Minneapolis - St. Paul, Rochester, Minnesota; Diamond's — Phoenix, Las Vegas; Lipman's — Portland, Salem, Corvallis, Oregon.

Plans for 1971 expansion: Hudson's — Toledo, Ohio; entry into Oklahoma City and Tulsa markets through John A. Brown Company.

#### **Financial Statistics**

	197	70	19		
(Millions)	\$ %	of Total	\$ %	of Total	Change
Sales	600.7	62%	607.7	69%	(1.2%)
Costs and Expenses	576.5	62	573.2	72	.6
Income Before Income Taxes	24.2	64%	34.5	72%	(29.9%)

## Stores and Expansion

	End of 1969		New i	n 1970	End of 1970	
	Stores	Space*	Stores	Space*	Stores	Space*
Hudson's	10	4,523	2	560	12	5,083
Dayton's	6	2,563	_	2	6	2,565
Lipman's	4	428	_	28	4	456
Diamond's	3	489	1	45	4	534
Total	23	8,003	3	635	26	8,638

<sup>\*</sup>Thousands of square feet.

## **Low Margin Stores**

Markets served in 1970: Target — Minneapolis-St. Paul, St. Louis, Houston, Dallas, Denver, Milwaukee, Duluth, Colorado Springs, Tulsa; Lechmere — Boston.

Plans for 1971 expansion: Target — Minneapolis-St. Paul, St. Louis, Dallas; Lechmere — Springfield, Massachusetts.

#### **Financial Statistics**

	19	70	196		
(Millions)	\$ %	of Total	\$ %	of Total	Change
Sales	289.0	30%	233.5	26%	23.8%
<b>Costs and Expenses</b>	278.9	30	224.4	27	24.3
Income Before Income Taxes	10.1	27%	9.1	19%	11.0%

## Stores and Expansion

	End of 1969		New	in 1970	End of 1970	
	Stores	Space*	Stores	Space*	Stores	Space*
Target	17	1,973	7	917	24	2,890
Lechmere	2	417	1	209	3	626
Total	19	2,390	8	1,126	27	3,516

<sup>\*</sup>Thousands of square feet.

## **Specialty Stores**

Markets served in 1970: Dayton Hudson Booksellers — 30 communities in 12 states; Dayton Hudson Jewelers — nine communities in eight states.

Plans for 1971 expansion: Dayton Hudson Booksellers — 13 stores in six states; Dayton Hudson Jewelers — four stores in three states.

### **Financial Statistics**

	1970		196		
(Millions)	\$ % (	of Total	\$ %	of Total	Change
Sales	55.6	6%	27.1	3%	105.2%
Costs and Expenses	55.2	6	26.9	3	105.2
Income Betore Income Taxes	.4	1%	.2		100.0%

### Stores and Expansion

	End of 1969		New in 1970		End of 1970	
	Stores	Space*	Stores	Space*	Stores	Space*
Dayton Hudson Jewelers	16	119	15	97	31	216
Dayton Hudson Booksellers	36	194	5	21	41	215
Total	52	313	20	118	72	431

<sup>\*</sup>Thousands of square feet.

## Real Estate

Markets served in 1970: Detroit, Flint, Michigan; Minneapolis-St. Paul.

Plans for 1971 expansion: Expansion of Southdale Shopping Center — Minneapolis-St. Paul; completion of two joint-venture high-rise apartment buildings — Detroit.

#### **Financial Statistics**

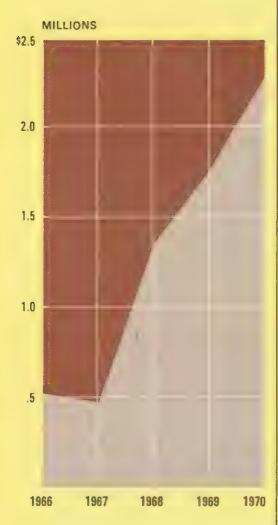
	1970	1969	
(Millions)	\$	\$	Change
Net Income	1.5	2.2	(31.8%)
Non-Cash Charges	7.2	6.5	10.8
Cash Flow	8.7	8.7	_

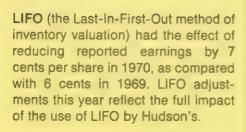
## Space and Expansion

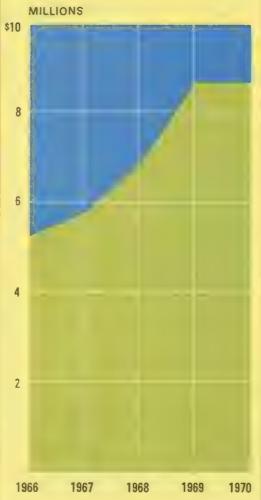
		1969	New in 1970		End of 1970	
	Facil- ities	Space*	Facil- ities	Space*	Facil- ities	Space*
Shopping Centers	6	3,362	2	831	8	4,193
Commercial Buildings	17	0,002	1		18	1,100
Intercompany	12	2,986	4	951	16	3,937
Total	30	6,348	5	1,782	35	8,130

<sup>\*</sup>Thousands of square feet.

## Financial Review (continued)







CASH FLOW is the generally accepted standard of performance in the real estate industry. Defined as the sum of net income plus depreciation and deferred charges, this standard measures the amount of cash generated for reinvestment in the business. Dayton Hudson Properties is evaluated on this basis both within the Corporation and for comparison with similar companies. Dayton Hudson Properties' cash flow for 1970 was \$8.7 million.

## Statement of Income

Dayton Hudson Corporation and Subsidiaries

#### **REVENUES**

## COSTS AND EXPENSES - Notes D, F and I

Cost of sales and expenses,
exclusive of items listed below

Maintenance and repairs

Depreciation of property and equipment
Rentals of real property
Interest

Taxes other than income taxes

Contribution to retirement plan

**INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES** 

Income taxes — Note A

**NET INCOME** 

EARNINGS PER COMMON SHARE

Earnings per Common Share are based on net income less dividends on Preferred Stock and are computed on the weighted average number of shares outstanding during each year including in 1969 retroactive effect of shares issued in the pooling of The J. L. Hudson Company.

Fiscal Year 1970

Year Ended January 30, 1971

\$945,305,675 20,092,126 3,889,233

\$969.287.034

\$851.818.699 4,012,134 19.688.467 8,260,044 17,523.674 26.824.834 3,589,266

\$931,717,118

\$ 37,569,916 18,600,000

18,969,916

Fiscal Year 1969

Year Ended January 31, 1970

\$868,334,820 15,250,668 4,771,756

\$888.357,244

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4,264,963 \$840,284,545

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\$ 48,072 699 24,400,000

\$ 23.672,699

1.49

See notes to financial statements.

Statement of Financial Position Dayton Hudson Corporation and Subsidiaries		
ASSETS	End of Fiscal Year 1970	End of Fiscal Year 1969
	January 30,	January 31, 1970
CURRENT ASSETS	100	1970
Cash	25.957.641	\$ 22,986,356
Merchandise inventories — Note C	140,202,932 155,902,149	132,244,480 137,193,781
Supplies and prepaid expenses	2,925,585	2,331,863
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	\$324,988,307	\$294,756,480
INVESTMENTS AND OTHER ASSETS	118.249.128	13,018,152
PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT — on the basis of cost — Notes D, E and H		
Dayton Hudson Corporation and retail subsidiaries  Less allowances for depreciation	∮ §83,903,216	\$228,735,652 73,713,077
	\$181.112,883	\$155,022,575
Real estate subsidiaries  Less allowances for depreciation	48,756,869	\$200,323,136 42,836,504
	\$167,006,669	\$157,486,632
	\$348.119,552	\$312.509,207
	VIII JANE 1867	\$620,283,839

### End of End of Fiscal Year Fiscal Year 1970 1969 LIABILITIES January 31, 1970 **CURRENT LIABILITIES** \$ 27,900,000 Notes payable — unsecured ..... \$ 16,450,000 Accounts payable ..... 52.468.750 Taxes other than income taxes 24,820,284 Accrued liabilities Income taxes, currently payable 13,690,321 Deferred income taxes — principally from installment sales 15,769,000 Long-term debt due within one year 10,798,308 TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES \$145,942,408 LONG-TERM DEBT - Notes E and H Dayton Hudson Corporation and retail subsidiaries ..... \$ 90.724.449 \$ 78,007,169 Real estate subsidiaries ..... 131,910,940 \$193,745,135 DEFERRED CREDITS - principally income taxes ...... SHAREHOLDERS' INVESTMENT — see separate statement Preferred Stock 621,750 Common Stock ...... Additional paid-in capital Retained earnings \$289,560,174 \$269,703,477 \$620,283,839

See notes to financial statements.

54,183,027

21,905,601

16,960,509

11,470,300

14,182,000

10,790,971

115,737,966

10,892,819

351,750

15,805,474

34,731,404

218,814,849

Statement of		
Shareholders' Investment		
Dayton Hudson Corporation		
and Subsidiaries		
	Fiscal Year 1970	Fiscal Year
	Year Ended January 30,	Year Ende January 3
	1971	1970
PREFERRED STOCK — Note A		
Balance at beginning of year — \$5 Convertible Preferred Stock — 35,175 shares (liquidation value \$3,517,500)	4 3-70	0.51
Add \$6 Convertible Preferred Stock — 27,000 shares	4 30.00	\$ 351,
(liquidation value \$2,700,000) issued in merger	210,602	_
BALANCE AT END OF YEAR	621,750	\$ 351,
Authorized 200,000 shares voting, without par value,		
issuable in series; convertible into Common		
Stock at 23/3 shares for each share of Preferred Stock.		
COMMON STOCK, par value \$1 a share, less treasury		
stock (shares and dollars) - Notes A and G		
Balance at beginning of year  Add (deduct):	\$ 15,805,474	\$ 15,826,
Common Stock issued for merged companies	218,595	_
Shares purchased for the treasury	(6,241)	(21,
BALANCE AT END OF YEAR	4 thouses	\$ 15,805,
Authorized 20,000,000 shares. Fiscal 1970:		
issued 16,081,118 shares, less 63,290 shares in treasury;		
fiscal 1969: issued 15,981,118 shares,		
less 175,644 shares in treasury.		
ADDITIONAL PAID-IN CAPITAL — Note A		
Balance at beginning of year	\$ 34,731,404	\$ 35,352,
Add (deduct):  From Key Executives Postrioted Stock Plan		
From Key Executives Restricted Stock Plan — Note G	\$ 3,043,129	\$ -
From revaluation of capital stock of a subsidiary		
contributed to Retirement Plan in prior years	690,000	_
From pooled companies  Expenses in connection with mergers	891,100 (46,396)	(376,
Transactions of pooled companies prior to mergers		(245,
	\$ 4,577,833	(\$ 621,
BALANCE AT END OF YEAR	2 100000.007	\$ 34,731,
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Fiscal Year Fiscal Year 1970 1969 Year Ended Year Ended January 30, January 31, 1971 1970 RETAINED EARNINGS - Notes A and E \$218,814,849 \$204,277,191 Balance at beginning of year ..... Add: 4,050,428 Beginning retained earnings of pooled companies Net income for the year ..... 23,672,699 \$241,835,193 \$227,949,890 Deduct: 233.925 Cash dividends on Preferred Stock. 155,825 Cash dividends on Common Stock (\$.50 a share) ... 7,931,931 6,779,968 Cash dividends of pooled companies prior to mergers 1,476,077 Excess of cost over par value of Common Stock 45,478 acquired for the treasury ... 723,171 \$ 8,223,834 \$ 9,135,041 \$233,611,359 **BALANCE AT END OF YEAR** \$218,814,849 \$289,560,174 TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS' INVESTMENT ..... \$269,703,477

# Statement of Source and Application of Funds

Dayton Hudson Corporation and Subsidiaries

Source of funds:

Net income for the year

Depreciation of property and equipment

Working capital of merged companies
at beginning of year

Disposals of property and equipment

New long-term debt

Increase in noncurrent deferred income taxes ...
Other

Application of funds:

Cash dividends

Additions to property and equipment

Purchase of common stock

Principal payments on long-term debt

Other

Increase in working capital

Fiscal Year 1970

Year Ended January 30, 1971

\$18,969,916

44,087,346 2,129,986 1,026,606

\$93,256,784

\$ 8.178,356 56,794,057 51,719 II III 1.441,338 10.372,222

\$93,256,784

Fiscal Year 1969

Year Ended January 31, 1970

\$ 23,672,699 16,175,633

> 2,796.310 86,588.126 2,836,000 221,858

\$132,290,626

\$ 8,411,870 92,765,139 744,250 11,675,006 4,902,057 13,792,304

\$132,290,626

## Notes to Financial Statements

Dayton Hudson Corporation and Subsidiaries January 30, 1971 and January 31, 1970

## Note A — Principles of Consolidation, Other Accounting Policies and New Companies

The financial statements include the accounts of Dayton Hudson Corporation and subsidiaries (all wholly-owned) after elimination of significant intercompany accounts and transactions.

In June 1969, The J. L. Hudson Company became a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Corporation in a transaction involving 4,499,964 shares of Common Stock. The transaction was accounted for as a pooling of interests.

The Federal Trade Commission is studying the Dayton Hudson merger. The Corporation does not know what action the Commission may take, or what effect any such action may have on the merger or other aspects of the Corporation's business.

During the year ended January 30, 1971 three

companies were acquired for an aggregate of 212,500 shares of Common Stock and 27,000 shares of voting \$6 Convertible Preferred Stock in transactions accounted for as poolings of interests. The effect of these transactions on operations and earnings was not material and would not be material in prior years, and financial statements for prior years have not been restated.

In February 1971 the John A. Brown Company, a department store, was acquired for cash.

Included in the income tax provision are \$4,277,000 and \$3,880,000 deferred income taxes arising principally from the use of accelerated depreciation and the installment method of reporting sales for income tax purposes and \$122,000 and \$887,000 of investment credit for the years ended January 30, 1971 and January 31, 1970, respectively.

#### Note B - Accounts Receivable

Due from customers:

Thirty-day accounts

Deferred payment accounts .....

Other accounts

Less allowance for losses

January 30,	January 31,
1971	1970
\$ 17,313,269	\$ 17,867,519
111,479,030	104,717,621
13,743,854	11,793,611
\$142,536,153	\$134,378,751
2,333,221	2,134,271
\$140,202,932	\$132,244,480

The allowance for losses at January 31, 1970 has been restated to conform to current accounting practices for prepaid income taxes previously included therein.

Note C — Merchandise Inventories. Merchandise inventories are determined principally by the retail inventory method. At January 30, 1971 and January 31, 1970 approximately 85% and

45%, respectively, of the inventories are priced at cost (last-in, first-out method) which is not in excess of market, and the remainder at the lower of cost (first-in, first-out method) or market.

## Notes to Financial Statements (Continued)

#### Note C - Merchandise Inventories. (Cont'd)

Inventories in the respective years are stated \$7,102,487 and \$4,807,335 less than the amount which would have been determined under the retail method without regard to last-in, first-out principles.

For the year ended January 31, 1970, certain inventories of a subsidiary were priced on the last-in, first-out basis for income tax purposes, but were priced in the consolidated financial

statements at the lower of cost or market under the retail method. In the financial statements for the year ended January 30, 1971, the inventories of this subsidiary were priced on the last-in, firstout basis to conform with a recent Internal Revenue Service ruling governing the valuation of inventories. This had the effect of reducing fiscal 1970 earnings per share by \$.03.

## Note D — Property and Equipment — on the basis of cost

Buildings and improvements

Fixtures and equipment

Construction in progress

Less allowances for depreciation .....

Allowances for depreciation above have been computed by the straight line method.

January 30, 1971 - 197250,510 506,119,138 1,36,557,875 1,853,117 5480,7779,637 1,82,660,085

January 31,
1970
\$ 72,073,415
250,285,389
70,712,493
35,987,491
\$429,058,788
116,549,581
\$312,509,207
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## Note E — Long-Term Debt — due beyond one year

Sinking Fund Debentures (1)

Notes under Credit Agreement (2) and (3) ............

5%% Sinking Fund Notes — payable \$800,000 annually to 1982 (3)

6% Sinking Fund Notes and other unsecured notes — maturing at various dates to 1985 and bearing interest at from 33/4% to 71/2% (3) .......

Mortgage notes, notes and contracts for purchase of real estate — payable over periods ranging to 30 years from inception and bearing interest at from 4% to 91/4 % ......

Interim bank financing .....

_	
	January 30,
	1971
	\$ 50,000,000
	12 000 000
	13,000,000
	9,600,000
	3,000,000
	7,342,828
	1,042,020
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ı	142,692,561
	144,032,301
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	\$222,635,389

	January 31, 1970
l	\$ 25,000,000
	17,000,000
	10,400,000
	8,554,554
Ш	98,930,341
	33,860,240
ı	\$193,745,135

#### Note E - Long-Term Debt - (Cont'd)

- (1) \$25,000,000 of 73/4% Sinking Fund Debentures under the indenture dated 1969 due 1994 are redeemable by the Corporation through minimum annual sinking fund payments of \$1,250,000 commencing in 1975. \$25,000,000 of 93/4% Sinking Fund Debentures under the indenture dated 1970 due 1995 are redeemable by the Corporation through minimum annual sinking fund payments of \$1,250,000 commencing in 1976. The indentures contain restrictions and limitations applicable to the Corporation and certain subsidiaries. See Note (3) as to restrictions imposed by other debt agreements which are more restrictive as to dividends and other restricted payments.
- (2) The notes under the Credit Agreement entered into on January 27, 1969, as amended and extended, bear interest at the prime rate and are payable on December 31, 1973.

Note F—Retirement Plan. The Corporation and its subsidiaries have several retirement plans covering substantially all employees. The Corporation's policy is to fund retirement costs accrued to date. The total of the accruals at January 30, 1971 and the total of the pension

Note G — Stock Options. The Corporation has a Qualified Stock Option Plan under which options for up to 200,000 shares of Common Stock may be granted to employees by a Stock Option Committee appointed by the Board of Directors. The option price may not be less than 100% of the fair market value of the shares on the date of grant. The options are exercisable 25% per year cumulatively in each of the second through fifth years after grant. Options were outstanding for the purchase of 115,700 shares and 65,700 shares at January 30, 1971 and January 31, 1970, respectively, at prices ranging from \$24.69 to \$39.00 per share. Options for 3,200 shares were cancelled during fiscal 1970.

The maximum amount available under the Agreement is \$40,000,000 and the Corporation has the option at any time prior to maturity to convert the balance to a term loan at ½% above prime and payable in sixteen equal quarterly installments with final maturity at December 31, 1977.

(3) These notes contain various provisions and restrictions for the protection of the lenders relating to working capital, sale of receivables, dividends and other restricted payments. Under the most restrictive of these provisions, current assets must be the greater of \$75,000,000 in excess of current liabilities or 150% of current liabilities; \$46,700,000 at January 30, 1971 and \$36,300,000 at January 31, 1970 of retained earnings were available for dividends and other restricted payments.

fund assets exceed the actuarially computed value of the vested benefits of all plans. The plan of a major subsidiary was revised and the change resulted in a decrease of the Company contribution of \$817,300 for the year ended January 30, 1971.

No options have been exercised.

Options for 24,450 shares at prices ranging from \$33.75 to \$39.00 a share at January 30, 1971 and for 9,475 shares at \$37.63 a share at January 31, 1970 had become exercisable.

218,680 shares at January 30, 1971 and 219,651 shares at January 31, 1970 of Common Stock are outstanding under a terminated Key Executives Restricted Stock Plan of a subsidiary. Additional paid-in capital has been credited and prepaid compensation charged with the excess of fair market value over the issuance price. Prepaid compensation is being amortized generally to retirement dates.

### Notes to Financial Statements

(Continued)

Note H — Commitments. The minimum annual rentals of long-term leases, generally not exceeding 30 years from inception, of the Corporation and subsidiaries were \$12,809,000 and \$10,652,000 at January 30, 1971 and January 31, 1970, respectively, including \$7,237,000 and \$5,559,000 payable to real estate subsidiaries. Most of the leases require additional payments for real estate taxes, insurance, other expenses and rentals based on percentages of sales. Minimum annual rental income from space leased to a supermarket chain was \$1,289,000 and \$777,000 in the respective years.

The Corporation has entered into a 15-year lease for office space commencing in 1972. Rentals thereunder are \$1,300,000 for three years and \$1,600,000 thereafter.

Commitments for construction of new facilities and the purchase of real estate amounted to approximately \$19,000,000 and \$32,000,000 at January 30, 1971 and January 31, 1970, respectively. Mortgage commitments totaling \$4,100,000 and \$47,700,000 in the respective years have been obtained to provide permanent financing of certain projects to be completed during the following years.

Note I — Total Costs and Expenses. Total costs and expenses as shown in the statement of income are classified as follows in reports to the Securities and Exchange Commission:

Cost of sales, buying and occupancy costs .......

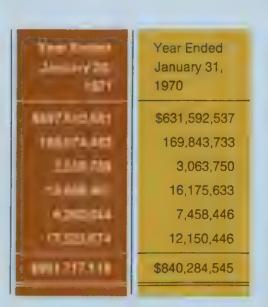
Selling, publicity and administrative expenses

Provision for bad debts ......

Depreciation of property and equipment ......

Rentals of real property ......

Interest expense



## Accountants' Report

Board of Directors Dayton Hudson Corporation Minneapolis, Minnesota

We have examined the statement of financial position of Dayton Hudson Corporation and subsidiaries as of January 30, 1971 and January 31, 1970 and the related statements of income, shareholders' investment and source and application of funds for the years then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, the accompanying statement of financial position and statements of income, shareholders' investment and source and application of funds present fairly the financial position of Dayton Hudson Corporation and subsidiaries at January 30, 1971 and January 31, 1970 and the results of their operations, changes in shareholders' investment and source and application of funds for the years then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles consistently applied, except for the change (which we approve) from the first-in, first-out (FIFO) method of valuing inventories of a major subsidiary to the last-in, first-out (LIFO) method as described in Note C to the financial statements.

Trust Emil

Minneapolis, Minnesota March 19, 1971

## Nine Year Comparisons

Dayton Hudson Corporation and Subsidiaries

	1970	1969	1968
TOTAL REVENUES (millions) With new companies			
accounted for as poolings of interest  Dayton Hudson Corporation and Subsidiaries historical results	\$969.3 969.3	\$888.4 888.4	\$812.0 441.3
INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES (millions) With new companies			,,,,,
accounted for as poolings of interest  Dayton Hudson Corporation and Subsidiaries historical results	37.6 37.6	48.1	51.0
NET INCOME (millions) With new companies	37.0	48.1	33.4
accounted for as poolings of interest  Dayton Hudson Corporation	19.0	23.7	24.6
and Subsidiaries historical results  PER SHARE OF COMMON STOCK	19.0	23.7	15.6
Net income reflecting subsequent poolings of interests  Net income of Dayton Hudson Corporation	1.16	1.49	1.54
and Subsidiaries historical results	1.16 17.69	1.49 16.84	1.36 15.94
CASH DIVIDENDS PER SHARE OF COMMON STOCK Cash dividends on a historical basis	.50	.50	.40
after giving retroactive effect to stock splits			
Capital expenditures  Depreciation and amortization	56.8 19.7	92.8 16.2	52.9 14.0
YEAR END FINANCIAL POSITION (millions)  Working capital	159.2	148.8	135.0
Retail companies  Real estate companies  Total  Long-term debt:	181.1 167.0 348.1	155.0 157.5 312.5	121.0 117.7 238.7
Retail companies  Real estate companies  Total  Shareholders' equity  Return on beginning shareholders' equity	90.7 131.9 222.6 289.6 7.0%	78.0 115.7 193.7 269.7 9.3%	48.5 70.3 118.8 255.8 10.3%
AVERAGE COMMON SHARES OUTSTANDING (thousands)	16,020	15,814	15,850

1967	1966	1965	1964	1963	1962
\$727.8	\$665.8	\$601.1	\$530.8	\$475 9	\$435.2
265.5	223.2	189.8	165.8	147 3	131.7
46.6	44.6	46.0	37.1	25.3	22.6
19.1	14.8	14.1	9.8	67	4.6
24.6	23.9	23.9	19.3	12.9	10.4
9.6	8.0	6.9	5.4	33	1.8
1.58	1.58	1.54	1.23	.79	.62
1.10 14.86	.94 13.47	.75 11.89	.57 10.36	.31 9.14	.12 8.46
.16	.07	.01		_	****
32.5 13.0	29.3 12.3	23.8 11.0	21.2	16.6 9.6	15.9 8.7
134.8	126.7	118.7	92.8	91.2	87.9
94.5 107.6 202.1	85.9 103.4 189.3	74.5 99.3 173.8	72.6 89.6 162.2	68.5 83.4 151.9	60 7 81.4 142.1
28.9 69.4 98.3 237.7 11.6%	33.7 70.6 104.3 211.5 12.4%	27.4 70.5 97.9 193.5 13.8%	28.3 52.7 81.0 173.0 12.4%	30.2 54.7 84.9 155.4 8.9%	32.9 53.1 86.0 145.5 8.1%
15,262	14,582	14,894	14,875	14,934	15,133
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**Dayton Hudson Corporation and Subsidiaries** 

	1970	1969	1968
DEPARTMENT STORES			
Number of stores Total square feet (thousands) Sales (millions) Sales per square foot Income before income taxes (millions) Pre-tax return on sales	26	23	21
	8,638	8,003	7,675
	\$ 600.7	\$ 607.7	\$ 583.0
	69.54	75.93	75.96
	24.2	34.5	36.0
	4.0%	5.7%	6.2%
Number of stores Total square feet (thousands) (A) Sales (millions) Sales per square foot Income before income taxes (millions) Pre-tax return on sales	27	19	13
	3,516	2,390	1,577
	\$ 289.0	\$ 233.5	\$ 189.5
	82.18	97.70	120.16
	10.1	9.1	10.3
	3.5%	3.9%	5.4%
SPECIALTY STORES  Number of stores (B)  Total square feet (thousands) (B)  Sales (millions)  Sales per square foot (B)  Income before income taxes (millions)  Pre-tax return on sales	72	52	39
	431	313	250
	\$ 55.6	\$ 27.1	\$ 22.8
	95.59	86.58	91.24
	4	.2	.9
	.7%	.7%	3.9%
TOTAL RETAIL		}	
Number of stores (B) Total square feet (thousands) (A) (B) Sales (millions) Sales per square foot (B) Income before income taxes (millions) Pre-tax return on sales	125	94	73
	12,585	10,706	9,502
	\$ 945.3	\$ 868.3	\$ 795.3
	73.96	81.10	83.70
	34.7	43.8	47.2
	3.7%	5.0%	5.9%
REAL ESTATE OPERATIONS			
Number of shopping centers	8	6	5
Intercompany Other	3,937	2,986	1,997
	4,193	3,362	2,706
Intercompany Other Real estate sales (millions) Income before income taxes (millions) Cash flow (millions) (D)	\$ 13.3	\$ 10.9	\$ 9.2
	20.1	15.3	13.3
	5.9	6.6	4.8
	2.9	4.3	3.8
	8.7	8.7	6.9

<sup>(</sup>A) Total square feet excludes supermarket space leased to others (approximately 660,000 square feet at January 30, 1971.)

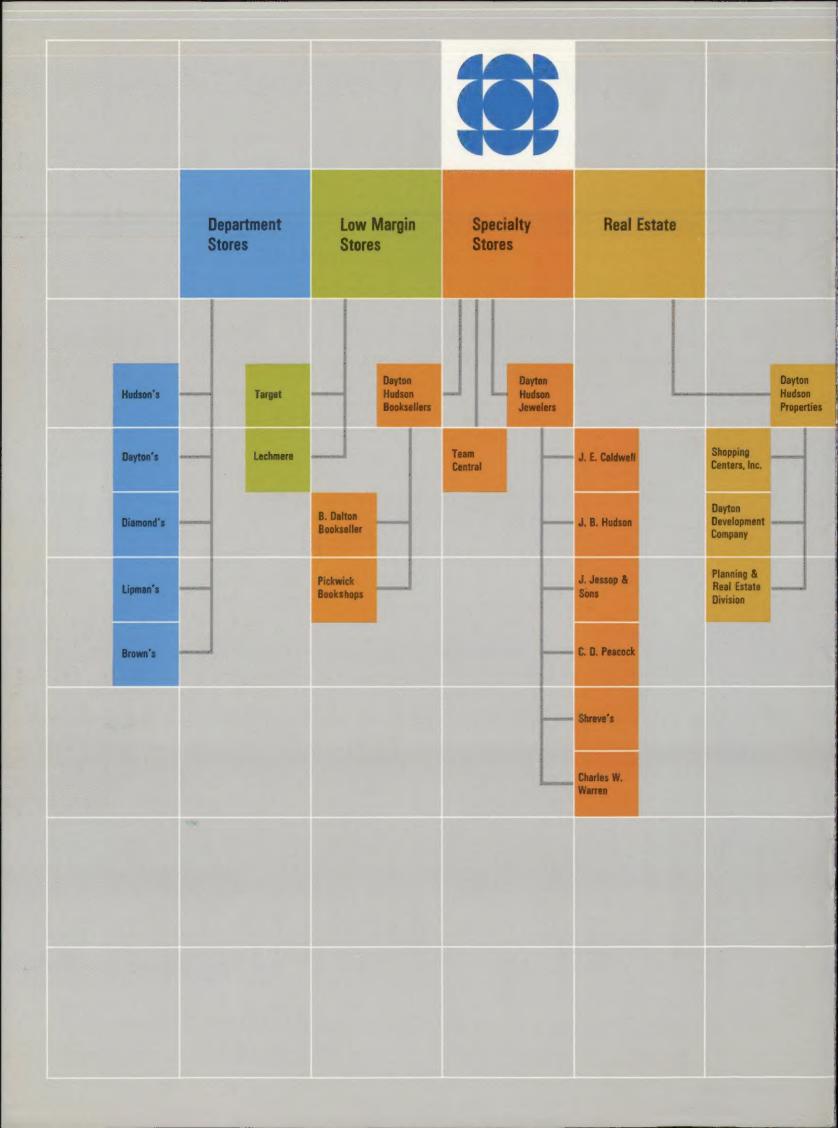
<sup>(</sup>B) Excludes Team Central Incorporated, which is not a retail business.

<sup>(</sup>C) Gross leasable square feet includes shopping center space and office and commercial buildings.

<sup>(</sup>D) Net income plus depreciation and deferred income taxes.

1967	1966	1965	1964	1963	1962
20	20	19	18	18	16
7,255	7,010	6,816	6,462	6,458	6,047
\$ 554.0	\$ 529.4	\$ 501.5	\$ 457.0	\$ 415.4	\$ 391.6
76.36	75.52	73.58	70.72	64.32	64.76
35.1	36.9	38.3	32.1	21.9	20.6
6.3%	7.0%	7.6%	7.0%	5.3%	5.3%
11	9	7	5	5	5
1,330	1,083	799	528	528	448
\$ 141.8	\$ 108.7	\$ 75.9	\$ 53.4	\$ 42.9	\$ 27.2
106.62	100.37	94.99	101.14	81.25	60.71
8.5	5.0	4.8	2.5	1.2	.1
6.0%	4.6%	6.3%	4.7%	2.8%	.4%
27	15	11	10	8	7
186	125	106	102	78	71
\$ 18.3	\$ 15.2	\$ 13.7	\$ 11.6	\$ 9.5	\$ 8.8
98.10	120.35	128.48	113.20	121.79	123.94
1.2	1.0	1.4	.7	.6	.6
6.6%	6.6%	10.2%	6.0%	6.3%	6.8%
58 8,771 \$ 714.1 81.42 44.8 6.3%	8,218 \$ 653.3 79.50 42.9 6.6%	37 7,721 \$ 591.1 76.56 44.5 7.5%	33 7,092 \$ 522.0 73.60 35.3 6.8%	31 7,064 \$ 467.8 66.22 23.7 5.1%	28 6,566 \$ 427.6 65.12 21.3 5.0%
5	5	5	4	4	4
1,949	1,949	1,743	1,388	1,385	1,315
2,777	2,687	2,541	2,165	2,144	2,053
\$ 8.6	\$ 7.9	\$ 7.1	\$ 6.1	\$ 4.3	\$ 4.1
12.1	11.2	9.7	8.4	7.8	7.4
2.2	1.8	1.9	.8	.4	.2
1.8	1.7	1.5	1.8	1.6	1.3
5.8	5.3	4.5	4.3	4.1	3.9

Note — Unless otherwise stated, data have been restated to give retroactive effect to mergers accounted for on a pooling of interests basis (see Note A of Notes to Financial Statements). Fiscal years end on approximately January 31 of the year following.



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